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The patent application of

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is attached for filing.

- [X] A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- [X] The Applicant claims small entity status.
- [X] This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/430,675 filed on December 4, 2002 and U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/469,416 filed on May 12, 2003.
- [X] This application is being filed without a declaration or fee.

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